

**United States Bankruptcy Court  
Western District of Tennessee**

**In re:**

Bankruptcy Case No. \_\_\_\_\_

*Debtor*

Chapter \_\_\_\_\_

*Plaintiff*

Adversary Proceeding No. \_\_\_\_\_

*Defendant*

**SUMMONS AND NOTICE OF PRETRIAL CONFERENCE  
IN AN ADVERSARY PROCEEDING**

**TO:**

Name of Defendant to be Served:
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**YOU ARE SUMMONED** and required to submit a motion or answer to the complaint which is attached to this summons to the clerk of the bankruptcy court within 30 days after the date of issuance of this summons, except that the United States and its offices and agencies shall submit a motion or answer to the complaint within 35 days.

Address of Clerk
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At the same time, you must also serve a copy of the motion or answer upon the plaintiff's attorney.

Name and Address of Plaintiff's Attorney
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If you make a motion, your time to answer is governed by Fed. R. Bankr. P. 7012.

**YOU ARE NOTIFIED** that a pretrial conference of the proceeding commenced by the filing of the complaint will be held at the following time and place.

Address	Room
	Date and Time

**IF YOU FAIL TO RESPOND TO THIS SUMMONS, YOUR FAILURE WILL BE DEEMED TO BE YOUR CONSENT TO ENTRY OF A JUDGMENT BY THE BANKRUPTCY COURT AND JUDGMENT BY DEFAULT MAY BE TAKEN AGAINST YOU FOR THE RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE COMPLAINT.**

Jed G. Weintraub  
Clerk of the Bankruptcy Court

By: \_\_\_\_\_

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**


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I, \_\_\_\_\_, certify that I am, and at all times during the service of process  
(name)  
 was, not less than 18 years of age and not a party to the matter concerning which service of process was made. I  
 further certify that the service of this summons and a copy of the complaint was made \_\_\_\_\_ by:  
(date)

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Mail service: Regular, first class United States mail, postage fully pre-paid, addressed to:

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Personal Service: By leaving the process with defendant or with an officer or agent of defendant at:

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Residence Service: By leaving the process with the following adult at:

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Publication: The defendant was served as follows: [Describe briefly]

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State Law: The defendant was served pursuant to the laws of the State of \_\_\_\_\_, as  
(name of state)  
 follows: [Describe briefly]

Under penalty of perjury, I declare that the foregoing is true and correct.

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 date

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 signature

Print Name		
Business Address		
City	State	Zip